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VIEWING ON LOW DYNAMIC RANGE
DISPLAYS

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STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

This responds to the Examiner's Interview Summary mailed on May 1, 2006, concerning a telephonic interview between Examiner Woods and the undersigned on April 26, 2006. No demonstrations were conducted.

In the telephonic interview, the following references were discussed: Siprut, *Adobe Photoshop Handbook* (1995) ("Photoshop") and U.S. Patent No. 5,818,975 to Goodwin ("Goodwin").

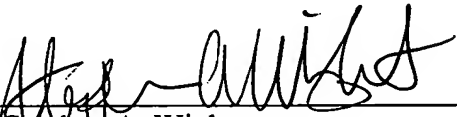
Applicants presented arguments regarding the allowability of claims 1 and 47 based on the amendment included with a Request for Continued Examination filed on April 10, 2006. In particular, Applicants pointed out "split-pane view" and "movable split position" language that was added to amended claim 1; "split-pane view" and "movable split position" also appears in amended independent claims 37 and 44. Applicants also pointed out the following language from new independent claim 47: "wherein the first image segment is displayed in accordance with the at least one display parameter that differs from the corresponding display parameter for the second image segment in response to passing a cursor over the first image segment."

The Examiner indicated that he would perform a new search.

Respectfully submitted,

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